



BY THE GOVERNOR OF THE STATE OF GEORGIA

A PROCLAMATION

EMPLOYEE LEARNING WEEK

- WHEREAS: A skilled and knowledgeable workforce is essential to Georgia's economic vitality, driving growth and innovation across all sectors; and
- WHEREAS: Businesses and organizations across Georgia recognize the competitive advantage of a robust workforce capable of meeting industry demands, and are committed to further developing talented employees to improve performance and productivity; and
- WHEREAS: Continued employee learning leads to improvements in individual and organizational knowledge and expertise; and
- WHEREAS: The Association for Talent Development (ATD) is the world's largest association dedicated to the training and development field. The ATD Greater Atlanta Chapter is comprised of more than 1,000 members from Savannah to North Georgia; and
- WHEREAS: Employee Learning Week provides an opportunity to increase awareness of the importance of employee training and development to better prepare Georgia's workforce to meet the challenges of today, tomorrow and beyond; now
- THEREFORE: I, NATHAN DEAL, Governor of the State of Georgia, do hereby proclaim December 4–8, 2017, as EMPLOYEE LEARNING WEEK in Georgia.

In witness thereof, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Seal of the Executive Department to be affixed this 16th day of November in the year of our Lord two thousand seventeen.



Nathan Deal
GOVERNOR

ATTEST

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